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Impeachment Of Dry Commissioner Sought

Says Agent Not Collecting Dow-Aiken Tax

COLUMBUS, O., January 24.—(By the Associated Press)—Impeachment of State Prohibition Commissioner Don V. Parker is sought by George S. Hawke and others, as the Good Citizenship League of Hamilton county, in a petition filed with Governor Davis today. It is charged that Commissioner Parker has failed to certify to the state auditor names of persons liable for the \$1,000 Dow-Aiken tax through violation of state prohibition laws.

The petition was filed by Mr. Hawke as executive secretary of the league and asks that a thorough investigation be made of the charges and that Commissioner Parker be removed if they are proven.

Hawke declares that only four persons have been certified for payment of the Dow-Aiken tax by Parker, although more than 500 persons are liable for the tax because of violations in Hamilton county. He avers that there is due Cincinnati violators \$600,000 under the Dow-Aiken law, none of which has been certified and that millions of dollars will be lost to Hamilton county through failure to certify it longed delayed.

Mr. Hawke sought to bring mandatory proceedings against Governor Davis several months ago to compel him to investigate conditions in Cincinnati.

Mr. Parker, who is making a tour of the state in the interests of prohibition, is in Warren today and his office here refused to comment on the charges of Mr. Hawke. Commissioner Parker will be back Thursday.

Attorney Hawke's activities have been directed against state officials in a number of instances, in connection with his prohibition fights, as well as other movements of public interest.

In 1919 he brought suit seeking to regain the secretary of state's power placing on the ballot the referendum of the state legislature's ratification of the federal prohibition amendment, and in the same year he sought to regain the secretary of state from submitting a referendum proposal following the ratification of the woman suffrage amendment.

The move against Prohibition Commissioner Parker is by way of a second chapter in Attorney Hawke's endeavor of last spring to compel Governor Davis to investigate Cincinnati conditions, at which time he sought to have Mayor Galvin impeached.

Probe Into
Alleged Trust

WASHINGTON, D. C., January 21.—(By the Associated Press)—The Senate, without a record vote, today adopted the resolution submitted yesterday by Senator Norris, Republican, Nebraska, asking Attorney General Daugherty whether the department of justice contemplates separate action against the International Harvester Company to bring about the dissolution of what the resolution alleged to be a trust.

Bought Rat
Poison To Kill
Mother, Claim

WAUSEON, O., January 24.—(By the Associated Press)—The case of Mrs. Elsie Weber, 20, charged with attempting the lives of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Greider, by poisoning, May 21, 1921, probably will go to the jury tomorrow.

This was the prediction this morning when the state had called, more than 20 of its 35 witnesses in an effort to prove that Mrs. Weber had purchased in Fayette, two cans of rat poison and taken the poison to the home of her parents on the day in question.

May 21, Mr. and Mrs. Greider returned home from a visit in Defiance and became violently ill after eating a meal prepared by their daughter. A physician pronounced the illness due to poison in their food. Mrs. Weber and her husband were arrested and charged with mixing poison with the victims. Weber was subsequently released and Mrs. Weber was indicted by the county grand jury.

Since Mrs. Weber's indictment the families have become reconciled and indications today are that the parents of Mrs. Weber will refuse to testify against her. Since her indictment Mrs. Weber has become a mother.

Sends Wife
And Cow
To Europe

SHARON, Pa., January 24.—(By the Associated Press)—Paul Kukel, of Sharon, is sending Helen, his wife, and Anna, his cow, back to Jugoslavia together. It became known today when he applied for space for the cow in addition to steerage reservation previously made for the wife on a liner sailing this week. He said Mrs. Kukel went at the thought of parting from the cow, which was a family pet, and declared the animal must go with her.

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ROME, Jan. 24.—(By the Associated Press)—Estimates of the number of persons who died past the

New Star In Grand Opera



Siberian Question Settled

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—(By the Associated Press)—Virtual settlement of the Siberian question, so far as the Washington arms conference is concerned, was understood to have been reached today at the meeting of the Far Eastern committee with the acceptance of the Japanese statement promising complete withdrawal from Russian territory upon establishment of a stable government.

Secretary Hughes made a statement of the position of the United States in the course of which he was understood to have reaffirmed the policy of the American government

as against territorial aggression. Agreement on the Pacific island fortifications question under which the Bonin Islands adjacent to Japan are not to be fortified, also was reported to have been reached.

Japanese delegates, it was said, agreed to the final drafting of the naval treaty to include a clause prohibiting fortifications of the Bonin Islands. The treaty clause containing a description of the Pacific islands which should not be fortified was said to have reached the point of final drafting.

Cardinals Rush To Rome To Select Pope

ROME, January 24.—(By the Associated Press)—While thousands streamed past the bier of Benedict XV in the basilica of St. Peter's today to pay reverence to the dead prelate, cardinals of the church were on their way from many foreign countries to participate in the election of a new pope.

The brief interval before the conclave of the cardinals, which has been set for February 2, will, however, prevent some of them, notably Cardinal Dougherty, of Philadelphia, and the Canadian and Brazilian cardinals, from arriving in time to vote, unless the election is unduly prolonged. Cardinal O'Connell, of Boston, has cabled that he is taking passage today, and has a possible chance to enter the election providing the new pope is not chosen on the first ballot.

There is no outstanding figure among the candidates for the high post, but Cardinal Maffi, archbishop of Pisa, is prominently mentioned as the government's choice. Others being discussed are Cardinal LaFontaine, of Venice, and Cardinal Ratti, of Milan.

The interment of Benedict has been fixed tentatively for tomorrow, being curtailed because of the pre-usual period of lying in state late's wish that his body be not embalmed.

The vatican received telegraphic advice today from London, Warsaw, Prague and Budapest that Cardinals Bourne, Károlyi, Dalbor and Osečník were hurrying to Rome to attend the pope's funeral and afterwards the conclave. With the arrival in Rome of Cardinal LaFontaine from Venice, three of the most prominently mentioned cardinals as likely successors to the seat of St. Peter are on the ground, as Cardinal Maffi and Ratti already are here.

Telephones are being installed in the apartments of each of the cardinals so that they will be able to communicate with one another inside the vatican. The vatican central office, however, has been cut off from the city's exchange, so there will be no telephonic communication with the outside world.

The work of walling in and transforming within the vatican in connection with the conclave is under the immediate supervision of Marquis Saccetti, who is personally directing the workmen. It is announced the officers of the papal secretary of state will remain open during the conclave.

ROME, Jan. 24.—(By the Associated Press)—The first of the nine pontifical high masses for the late Pope Benedict XV was sung this morning with grand solemnity in the basilica of St. Peter's. Simultaneously, there were solemn ceremonies in all the great basilicas, including the Lateran and Santa Maria Maggiore.

The time of the burial had not yet been definitely decided upon today, but it remains tentatively fixed for Wednesday afternoon.

Meanwhile the foreign cardinals are momentarily expected to arrive in Rome and workmen are busily engaged in the vatican making ready the quarters for the conclave of the sacred college, which will elect a successor to the dead pontiff.

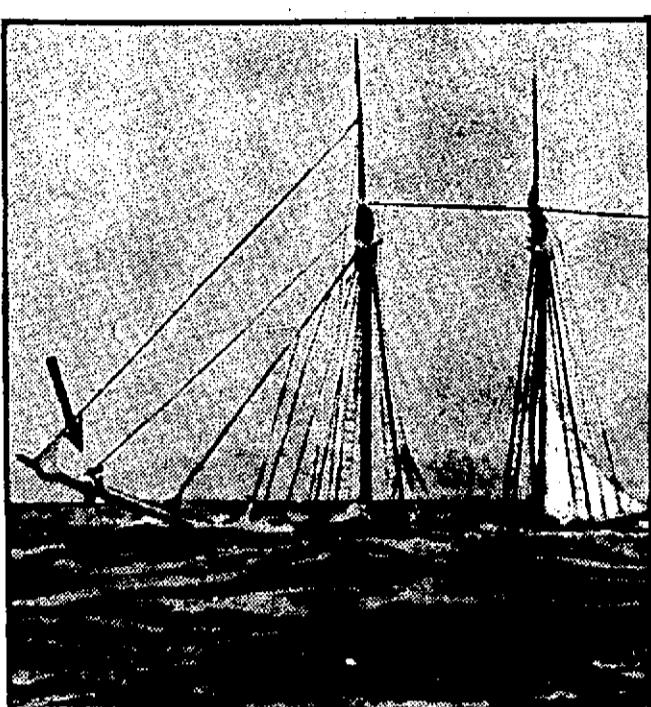
All the while too, mournful crowds continue filing past the catafalque in St. Peter's on which lies the body of Benedict XV. Thousands upon thousands of persons were still paying their last tributes today.

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European Conditions Vital Factor In American Farming

Last Minute Rescue



The crew of the James M. W. Hall, schooner, was saved just a few minutes before it sank. Notice the men clinging to the rigging as the sea overwhelmed the boat. Only an ingenious signal device of one of the crew brought help.

HARDING NOT READY TO CUT THE U. S. ARMY

WASHINGTON, D. C., January 24

—(By the Associated Press)—Although President Harding believes that the work of the Washington conference eventually will lead to re-

duction of both naval and land armaments, he is not prepared now to recommend any radical reduction in the land forces of the United States.

Staggers Off Train Nearly Frozen To Death; Stole Ride

TOLEDO, O., January 24.—A mid-

night, blind-baggage ride on a mile-long New York Central train may cost the life of Edward Johnson, collector of Cleveland, who staggered off a train at the Union station here late last night nearly frozen to death.

Johnson's ears, nose, face, hands and feet were frozen stiff when he fell into the arms of a switchman as he alighted from the cab of the engine to which he had crawled shortly before the train reached Toledo.

Johnson told police he boarded the train at the Union station in Cleveland and chose as his riding place the platform between the tender and a mail car.

The train makes two stops between Cleveland and Toledo, one at Elyria and the other at Sandusky.

Somewhere between these points the train scraped up water on the platform and Johnson was drenched as the water poured over the tender and flew in spray for hundreds of feet as Johnson's clothes froze instantly in the zero weather.

When the train reached Toledo, Johnson was assisted from the train and taken to a switchman's shanty near the Union station. The police were called and removed Johnson to the municipal hospital, where it is said his condition is serious.

FAMOUS ORCHESTRA CONDUCTOR DIES OF FLU

LEIPSIC, January 24.—(By the Associated Press)—Arthur Nikisch, noted orchestra conductor, died here last evening of influenza. He was formerly conductor of the Boston Symphony Orchestra.

Arthur Nikisch, son of a Hungarian book keeper and a youthful prodigy at the piano forte and with the violin, developed in maturity into one of Europe's most distinguished orchestral conductors. In his life time of sixty-six years, he devoted himself mainly to the direction of the opera in his native city, Leipzig, where he made a name for himself by the successful revival of many long neglected operatic masterpieces. In the orchestral field he was noted for his advanced musical views, as well as for both the smoothness and virility of his readings of many of the classical and modern masterpieces.

He was widely known in America. He was conductor of the Boston Symphony Orchestra from 1889 to 1902, and visited many American cities at the head of this noted band. He was also in this country in 1912 for a concert tour at the head of the London Symphony Orchestra, which he conducted for some time before the war. Recently he was reported to be planning a tour in America during the present year with the Leipzig Gewandhaus band.

They opened their annual convention this week and will wind it up in New York Saturday night.

Frederick Patterson, president of the company, will ride as far as Columbus in the cab of the locomotive pulling the special train carrying the delegates.

Honoring the N. C. R. for its fast of operating on full time while nearly every other big plant in the country was shut down, the city has declared a half holiday Wednesday.

Delegates to the convention report that the upgrade in business conditions now seems to have been reached.

General Florence announced today that next summer's camp and shoot of the Ohio national guard will be held at Camp Perry.

The newspaper "Popolo Romano" says it is in possession of a secret circular sent out by Premier Bonomi to the prefects urging all of them to use tact and reserve toward the cardinals, giving them every facility for making the journey to Rome and doing what they can to assure that the conclave elect a pope favorable to an agreement between the government and the vatican.

"It follows," adds the newspaper, "that his candidate to whom the government will give all its support would be Cardinal Maffi, who is noted for his Italianity."

Through the Stefano News Agency, the Italian government stated today it was in no way trying to influence the choice of the next pope. While all legal provisions would be rigidly enforced, it was said, every convenience would be placed at the disposal of the cardinals coming to Rome, the railroads being given instructions to facilitate their travel.

Willis Asked To Aid Florence

COLUMBUS, O., Jan. 24.—U. S.

Senator Willis was called upon to day by Adjutant General Florence to aid him in securing records of Ohio soldiers from the war department.

The data is necessary to check applications for soldier bonus, but Adjutant General Harris at Washington has advised that it will be impossible to comply with the Ohio request because of lack of appropriation to carry on the work.

If no action can be secured through Mr. Willis, General Florence plans to go to Washington himself.

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"Of course, I know I am old enough to be his mother," she said.

"but I have been at the head of the household for a good many years. In

the way, we were business partners, and were interested in the same things. It is the logical thing to do, and there isn't any reason to make any fuss over it."

Billy Butt-In

THE TIMES WEATHER MAN



This is the kind o' weather folks like to talk a lot about during the warm spells, but do a lot o' kickin' when it gets cold. Here's for tomorrow:

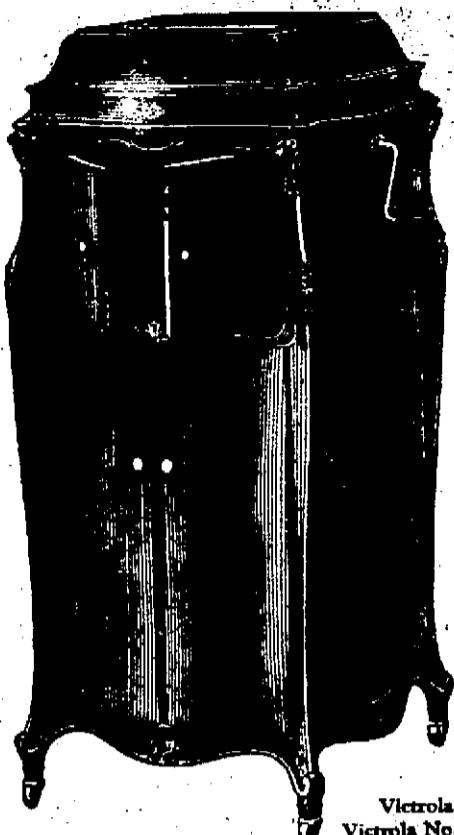
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KENTUCKY—Cloudy tonight and Wednesday. Slowly rising temperature Wednesday.

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"Posey" Flowers Takes Bride

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JURIS BOMB SHELL AT BARGE CANAL HEARING

CINCINNATI, O., Jan. 24.—Declares that the University of Chicago was "controlled by railroad interests"; that its professors were "railroad propagandists" who were "biased, hostile and unfair" to waterway improvement. Albert Krell, president of the Central Inland Waterway Association, created a stir at the hearing of the United States board of engineers for rivers and harbors here today.

He criticised the previous special board of engineers for going to such an institution for advice on the question of building the proposed Lake Erie to Ohio River barge canal. General Harry Taylor, chairman of the board, declared that Mr. Krell was "drawing a very erroneous conclusion" if he meant to question the integrity of the special board.

General Taylor, speaking for his own board, then said: "We are favorable to the project, meaning the general project of a lake-to-river-canal." Mr. Krell said that the report of Professor J. M. Clark, of the University of Chicago, for the special board, indicated that it would cost \$400,000,000 to build the canal from Cincinnati to Toledo with its branch to Lake Michigan, and Mr. Krell gave other figures to show these figures were three times too high.

General Taylor said that Professor Clark had nothing to do with those estimates.

Added impetus was given to the central waterways project from Portsmouth to Sandusky Monday when the boosters of the central route were given another hearing by the United States Board of Army Engineers in Columbus. The Columbus Chamber of Commerce took a very active part in the hearing yesterday when many arguments were presented in favor of the route that would connect the Ohio river and Lake Erie the Scioto and Sandusky rivers being used as the big parts of the waterway.

The principal argument that is

presented by the boosters of this route is that the waterway already formed by the Scioto and Sandusky rivers means a big saving in the building of a canal which will be necessary should other routes be adopted.

Albert Krell, president of the Central Inland Waterway Association, created a stir at the hearing of the United States board of engineers for rivers and harbors here today.

Estimates prepared show that the proposed cost of the waterway would be about \$14,000,000. Col. Edward Orton, Jr., president of the Columbus Chamber of Commerce was the main speaker at the hearing and after presenting many arguments for the central route asked for a complete survey.

Alan N. Jordan of the Portsmouth Chamber of Commerce was present at the hearing and today was in Cincinnati where the Board of Army Engineers was giving the Cincinnati and Miami Erie canal route boosters another hearing. Mr. Jordan has been a tireless worker for the waterways through central Ohio and is firm in his belief that the engineers will find that this route is the best and will recommend it as the most feasible.

HEARING IN CINCINNATI—CINCINNATI, O., January 24.—The boosters of United States engineers for rivers and harbors began their final hearing here today on the selection of a route for a deep waterway from the Ohio river to the Great Lakes. Delegations were present from different points in Ohio and Indiana, along the route from Cincinnati to Toledo and Chicago. The recommendations of the special board that were given out at Washington on September 27, are before this permanent board for review. Hearings having been previously given to the advocates of the other three routes of which Pittsburgh, Muncie, and Portsmouth are the river terminals. The special board favored the Pitts-

burgh route on the ground that it was the "shortest and the cheapest," but suggested that owing to the burdens of the war and the public debt that no such improvements be undertaken at the present time. All of the competing routes sought to have the special board reversed in the matter of postponement as well as on the proposition for the government to bear 50 per cent and the canal 70 per cent of the cost of construction, and three of them on the expressed preference of the selection of the court.

Albert Krell, president of the Central Inland Waterways Association, at today's hearing made an elaborate argument in favor of the route from Cincinnati to Toledo and Chicago. Others who were expected to speak before the board were: W. B. Mayo, chief engineer of a motor company, Detroit; G. W. Conroy, Beaverville, Ky.; George Lea Sure, Delphos, Ohio; George M. Verly, president of the American Rolling Mill Co., Middletown, Ohio; S. F. Bowser, Fort Wayne, Ind.; L. G. Macomber, Toledo; Acton Hall, Elgin, Ill., and former Congressman B. F. Welty, of Lima.

Who Knows This Man?

COLUMBUS, O., January 24.—(By the Associated Press)—When John Russell, giving Portsmouth, Ohio, as his home, addressed Police Court Judge Seidel: "As Shakespeare says, the nemesis of a man's life lives after him, but I say it follows a man all the days of his life if he has committed an offense—it may be law, but it is not mercy," both court and attorneys sat up and took notice.

Russell was answering a charge of being a hotel prowler, for which he previously had served a prison sentence. A fine of \$50 and costs was suspended and officers were ordered

SOCIETY

Mr. Roy Wolfe entertained the members of the Willing Workers club Monday afternoon at her home on Rosemount Road in honor of her birthday anniversary. The meeting was in the nature of a winter picnic, the guests bringing their eats with them. After an informal afternoon the picnic was enjoyed by the following club members: Mrs. Dave Jewett, Mrs. Fred Teery and daughter, Margaret, Mrs. Teese Kester, Mrs. Edward Miller, Mrs. A. R. Johnson, Mrs. Clarence Maulis and two children, Edna and Virginia; Mrs. H. A. Snow and daughter Eileen; Mrs. Carl Correll and son Nickie; Mrs. Fred Knouse and daughters Jane and Louise; Mrs. William Noel; Mrs. Ray Wolfe and daughter Virginia Louise and Miss Beulah Shy. Mrs. John Conkel was the only guest present.

Mr. Roy Wolfe, a graduate of Fordham University and that he was a newspaper man for fifteen years.

Newspaper Men Meet

COLUMBUS, O., January 24.—(By the Associated Press)—Newspaper folk, members of the Ohio Associated Dailies, gathered here today for their annual meeting. Convention activities were scheduled to start early this afternoon with an address by F. M. Bitezek, of the Warren Chronicle; F. B. Paulty, of the Mid-towner Journal, and Frank H. Burgess, of the Tribune and Leader Press, LaCrosse, Wis., and a round table discussion of various departments of a newspaper also are on this meeting's program.

Among editors who will participate in the round table discussion are: H. E. Taylor, Portsmouth Times; O. C. Hooper, of the department of journalism, Ohio State University; Charles D. Simeral, Steubenville Herald; George V. Sheridan, Springfield Sun; J. A. Chew, Xenia Gazette, and W. V. Tifford, Jaland Daily Press Association, Clinton, Iowa.

Dr. Elmer B. Bryan, president of Ohio University at Athens, and George H. Mead, of Dayton, are scheduled to speak at a banquet tonight. Officers will be elected at Wednesday morning's session.

COURT HOUSE

For Neglecting Children
Mrs. Marilla Shonkwiler and Mrs. Lulu Miller, sisters, living at 433 Fifth street, were before the probate court Tuesday to answer to complaints of neglecting their children. The complaints filed by Emma Hubert, welfare worker, alleged that two children of each of the women are neglected and have no suitable home.

On the plea of the Mrs. Shonkwiler that she could arrange to get married so that she could have a husband to provide her children with a better home, Judge Gilliland passed the cases until Friday to give the woman an opportunity to carry out her plans.

Filed For Probate
The will of the late Mary Shepherd, who died recently at her home in New Boston, has been filed for probate.

Charged Neglect and Cruelty
Laura A. White, 1312 Kinney street, charges neglect and cruelty in her suit for divorce and alimony with custody of their two minor children, instituted in Common Pleas court Tuesday against Harry White, Dry Run, West Side.

In her bill of complaint filed through Attorney Luther Thompson the plaintiff alleges that practically ever since their marriage in October 1917, the defendant has cursed and abused her, claiming that on various occasions he assaulted and struck her and declares that by reason of his treatment she was forced to leave him on Dec. 30 last.

She further asserts that the defendant has failed and refused to support her and children and that he declared he would wear stripes at Columbus before he would contribute to their support.

Executive Appointed
In probate court Tuesday, Talbot Moore was appointed as executive of the estate of the late Margaret R. Pote, who died recently at her home in Sintonville leaving property with an estimated value of \$1000.

Sent to Children's Home
Albert Evans, 8 years old, son of Isaac Evans, who lives at the Incubator on Robinson avenue, was ordered to the Children's Home by Judge Gilliland Tuesday when a hearing in Juvenile court disclosed that the youth did not have a suitable home.

Court of Appeals Departs
Court of Appeals finished its session here Tuesday noon and Judges Edwin D. Sayre, William H. Middleton and Roscoe J. Manek departed this afternoon for Athens to hold the regular February term of court, which starts Wednesday morning. The court was accompanied by its official reporter Harry B. Grace of Chillicothe.

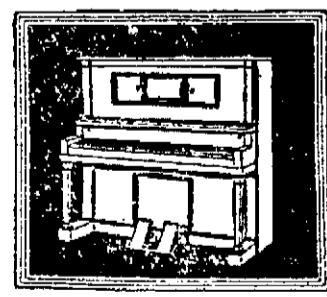
Only two cases in addition to the Chillicothe case were submitted to the court during its stay here. These were, the suit of Newton Crain against Mark Foster and Cora B. Carmichael and others against Creighton Cook.

Crain, West Side farmer, seeks to reverse the finding of a jury in Common Pleas court in awarding Foster the sum of \$500 for personal services rendered Sarah Foster during her lifetime. In the other case there is involved title to a farm situated on the West Side left of the estate of the late Sarah Cook, deceased. Cook won in the lower court.

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BOOK AND JOSEPH

Women Placed On Farm Bureau Board

A new executive board for the Scioto County Farm Bureau was elected today at a meeting of Farm Bureau directors held at the office of County Agent W. F. Gahm, on Fifth street. The meeting was well attended, organized community purchasing agents and other officers being present besides the directors.

The new executive board will include President Otto Zoellner, S. V. Selby, Earl Moulton, John Rapp, Fred Moat, Mrs. Frank Oakes and Mrs. John Willey. The last five and to the executive board

named are new directors. Messes. Zoellner and Selby being holdovers. This is the first time that women have had a voice in the managing of the destinies of the Farm Bureau. A change in the constitution made it possible to elect women as directors, and to the executive board

Kid Smith Hurls Challenge At Blair

The Sporting Editor of The Times this afternoon received the following self-explanatory telegram from Duke Hildley, sporting editor of the Huntington Herald, Dispatch:

"Kid Smith, of Huntington, who has won five consecutive ring battles by the knock-out route, today issued a challenge through the Huntington

Smith at 142 pounds at 3:00 p. m. on the day of their fight. If Smith can't turn the trick, Blair will take him on without asking any more questions.

Pat Shoemaker is just back from Huntington and he says fight fans there told him that Smith was too heavy for Blair and that he weighs about 150 or 152.

Firm Is Willing To Build New Hotel

At the weekly meeting of the chamber of commerce, Board of Directors at the Mary Louise today, E. A. Stoll, vice president of the Hockenbury Hotel System, Harrisburg, was present and addressed the directors relative to a proposed new hotel here. Mr. Stoll's organization makes a business of going into a city and after making a complete survey as to the needs of a hotel, raises the needed finance locally and guarantees operation. According to Mr. Stoll his organization had built 15 new hotels in two years. Mr. Stoll explained that he had looked over the city during the

morning and explained that his firm would like to have the job of survey as to the needs of a hotel, the building a new hotel here if a survey which would be made would show that such a civic improvement was needed. Mr. Stoll was given a vote of thanks for the interest he had taken in the new hotel proposition here.

Brothers Accused Of Highway Robbery

Considerable of a sensation was caused in the Wheelersburg vicinity Tuesday by the arrest of Walter Besco, 23, and Bernard Besco, 18, sons of Frank Besco, prominent farmer living on the Lick Run pike two miles from the village, for alleged holding up and robbing Frank Simon, proprietor of a grocery store in the village.

The alleged robbery occurred on the Lick Run pike about eight o'clock last Saturday night when Simon claims the two young men attacked him and robbed him of \$14.50 and a gold ring, as he was on his way home. The accused young men who have always borne a good reputation in the past

strongly deny the charge and claim they will be able to fully establish an alibi.

The preliminary hearing held before Squire B. A. Jones in Wheelersburg this afternoon resulted in the justice holding the defendants for grand jury action under \$500 bond each. The bond was furnished and the accused were released from custody. Prosecutor Sheppard represented the state at the hearing.

Civic Night

The Men's Club of the Second Presbyterian church will entertain Rotarians in Ironton tonight and many local Rotarians from Ohio, Kentucky and West Virginia will be present to enjoy the festivities. Music will be furnished by Dawson's Orchestra of this city.

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We wish to announce to the public that beginning tomorrow we will distribute to the people of Portsmouth the retail dealers PEERLESS PASTEURIZED MILK and CREAM in bottles only.

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THE MOVIES



Agnes Ayres and Rudolph Valentino in a Scene from the Paramount Picture, "The Sheik," a George Melford Production.

"The Sheik" Without Doubt The Most Talked Of Picture Before The Public Today, Will Be The Big Attraction At The Columbia For Four Days Starting Tomorrow. Inhbia Theatre tomorrow, are the

One of the most impressive features of "The Sheik," George Melford's latest production for Paramount, which comes to the Company magnificent and spectacular settings in which the various scenes are enacted. These include:

A remarkable conception of a public section of the ancient City of Carthage under Roman rule; a birdseye shot of the City of Biskra, the Monte Carlo of the Algerian Sahara, taken from a minaret; an Arab playing in the foreground; fifteen actual shots about the city of Biskra, especially made for the picture by a representative from Paramount's London Studio; a pictureque African oasis, especially constructed on a desert site near Hollywood; a complete Arabian village—the stronghold of the bandit chieftain, Omair; and beautiful, exotic interiors, such as the interior of the Sheik's tent, and the desert palace of Omair.

In the Carthage episode, which is a vision in the picture, a very unusual effect is presented: Agnes Ayres, playing the principal feminine role, is shown as the haughty queen who rules the city under Roman domination. When the scene first opens, it shows the proud English girl, later to be captured by the Sheik, encamped at night among the ruins of Roman splendor in the ancient city. There are broken pillars and crumbling ruins. Then the girl becomes a Carthaginian queen, the architecture is restored and scenes of splendor, populated with the royal court, flower girls, harp girls, slaves, centurions and Roman soldiers follow. This vision establishes the haughty, dominant character of the girl, who upon taking a journey into the desert, despite her brother's objections.

The role of the Sheik is played by Rudolph Valentino, the popular "Julio" of "The Four Horsemen of the Apocalypse." The cast includes Lucien Littlefield, Adolphe Menjou, George Wagner, Ruth Miller, Walter Long and F. R. Butler.

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SHEIK
WITH AGNES AYRES AND RUDOLPH VALENTINO

AT dead of night the Sheik climbed the balcony to Diana's bedroom which overlooked the Sahara desert. Her jewelled revolver lay upon the dressing table. Silently the Sheik emptied the tiny weapon of its cartridges and departed in the first light of dawn.

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Assists Nature to Break up Bad Colds,
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Gently Regulate the Bowels.

Mrs. Goddard
Critically Ill

FRONTON, Jan. 24—Rev. Mr. Gilchrist is here from Chicago, having been summoned on account of the critical illness of his sister, Mrs. Mary Goddard of near Haverhill, Mrs. Goddard's sister, Mrs. Alice Pixley, and the latter's daughter, Miss Bessie Pixley of Portsmouth, and a niece, Miss Addie Kelley are at her bedside. Mrs. Goddard is a fine Christian woman and has been a member of the Haverhill M. E. church for many years.

Printers' Head-Phi Tournament
all week at the "Club" Sixth Street—Advertisement

Takes New Job
Walter Sanders, city fireman in Fronton, has resigned and has taken a position as brakeman on the C. & O. N. He will have a run out of Russell, Ky.

Search Us
We do not know whether they were cheap ones or not, but a thief broke into the Skating rink in Fronton and decamped with a flock of roller skates.

TO PLAY IN PHILLY
ANNAPOLES, Md., Jan. 24—The annual football game between the West Point cadets and the Annapolis midshipmen will be played this year on Franklin Field, Philadelphia, Saturday, November 25. This announcement was authorized today by Commander Douglas L. Howard, secretary-treasurer of the navy athletic association.

BIRTHS

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Bradford of 1616 Mount Street. Mr. Bradford is an N. & W. machinist.

An eleven pound girl was born Sunday morning to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph W. Bailey, 1307 Union street. Mr. Bailey is a shoeworker. Mrs. Bailey was formerly Miss Eliza Cresley.

A son was born recently to Mr. and Mrs. Park Rotroff of this city. Mrs. Rotroff formerly was Miss Edna Cameron.

Visiting Brother
Leo Horschow is in New York visiting his brother, Reuben Horschow, who is located in the Metropolis.

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Doherty To Continue Testimony
TOLEDO, O., January 24.—(By the Associated Press)—Henry L. Doherty, president of the Cities Service Company, and principal in the Henry L. Doherty Company, is scheduled to continue his testimony when the trial of Jesse C. McDowell, Pittsburgh oil expert, is resumed in federal court here late today.

McDowell is charged in a federal indictment with using the walls to defame the Henry L. Doherty Company and the Cities Service Company of more than a million and a half dollars through acceptance of secret commissions in the purchase of gas and oil lands while acting as purchasing agent for the concern.

The trial, which started several weeks ago, was adjourned last Friday over the weekend.

RIVER NEWS
Tuesday, January 24, 1922.

STATIONS	FRANKLIN	DALE NO. 7	PIITTSBURGH	DALE NO. 12	ZANEVILLE	PARKERSBURG	CHARLESTON	POINT PLEASANT	HUNTINGTON	ASHLAND	PORTSMOUTH	CINCINNATI
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F. B. WINTER
River Observer.

Back From Cincinnati
Supt. H. C. Weller of this division of the N. and W. has returned from a business trip to Cincinnati.

**Condition
Is Serious**

Fred Prediger of Wheelersburg, and who was recently stricken with paralysis is no better. He is one of the county's best known citizens. Foundation Completed.

The Wertz Realty Company has completed the foundations for three new houses to go up in the Madock addition on upper Fourth street.

Greenup Visitor
Dr. H. T. Morris, of Greenup, was a business visitor to Portsmouth Tuesday.

Return To Huntington
After a short visit here Fred Baesman has returned to Huntington, where he makes his headquarters.

Kline's

Speaking Of
Pick-Pockets

Did you ever hear of anything bolder than the designer who stole little tops of silver such as are used for pocket-book fasteners and used them as frock trimmings?

Well, all's fair in love and war—and fashion, most likely.

All who are sorry answer, AYE. The NAYS have it.

Depend on this store to show what's new in Spring wear, whether right or wrong we shall have it!



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When Is Auto Trade A Trade?

Evidence in the case of H. G. Amick charged in a complaint made by Martin L. Buttless with stealing his Buick automobile, was heard by Judge McCall in Municipal court yesterday afternoon and then discontinued for further consideration.

The testimony disclosed that Buttless traded his Buick car and \$200 for Andie's Lozier machine on January 5, under a sort of an agreement that if at the end of three days' trial either was not satisfied, the deal would be called off and each get his car back. Buttless claimed he was not satisfied and declared the deal was never consummated, while Amick asserted the deal was fair and Amick claimed the deal was fair and the complaint made against him was an after thought and came after he had instituted a civil suit in common pleas court to recover the \$200 due him in the trade.

During the war nearly 15,000 women were drawing pay for their services in Great Britain.



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Adventures Of The Twins

BY OLIVE ROBERTS BARTON



"Whenever you see a baby laugh just about nothing at all, you may be sure that there is a fairy around."

COME along," said Mr. Crane to Nancy and Nick, so the Twins started after him, followed by Buskins. "I want to show you the use we make of all the run-away-feathers that come up to our sky country."

Soon he stopped and opened another door, inviting the visitors to enter. It was full of fairies working like sixty, and covered almost to their eyes with big aprons.

"This," said Mr. Crane, importantly, "is the tickler department. We make ticklers here."

"What kind?" asked Nancy.

"For the babies," said the crane. "Whenever you see a baby laugh just about nothing at all, you may be sure that there is a fairy around somewhere tickling him."

So they followed him out again and along the passage to another door which Mr. Crane opened.

"Come in," he said, graciously. "This is where we make brooms for the sweepers."

"What sweepers?" asked Nick.

"Fairy ones," answered the crane. "We make cute little feather brooms for them to sweep the cobwebs off the grass on summer nights, so that when the dew-fairies come along with their sprinklers the dew won't stay atop of the webs, but can get down to the poor thirsty grass and flowers beneath. Haven't you seen the fields and gardens on summer mornings covered with cobwebs, sparkling with dew? That's because the fairy sweepers ran out of brooms and couldn't brush the webs away. But come on. I'll take you to another place."

(To Be Continued)

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KENTUCKY KID. I'm glad the miles did not kick him twice, aren't you? Your teeth may not get you anything, but they add 100 per cent to your appearance. Easter is rather late this year, and if you are going to get a new dress for the occasion, why not get a taffeta instead of a serge? Wool hose are all right if the weather is cold enough for them, but I think it will be warm enough for silk hose on the sixteenth of April.

DEAR DOLLY—I am a girl of 15 and considered very good looking. Dolly there is a boy in this town whom I adore. I also like another boy who is very good looking and quite entertaining but his teeth spoil his looks. He was kicked in the mouth with a mile once, and it makes his teeth rather big, but Dolly your teeth don't get you any-

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DEAR DOLLY—I had a brother in the late war and he is working out in the country and I want to know if I can get his bonus blank and send it to him. It is hard for him to get to town. Let me know if I can do this.

HIS SISTER. Your brother should have applied for his bonus sooner as the filing of applications at the American Legion rooms ends tomorrow evening. You could send him the blank to be filled out, but he will have to sign it up before a notary public, and he will probably have to come here anyway to do that, so he might as well make one trip and have it over with. If there is a notary near him he could have it signed up out there. If he comes, tell him to bring all the information necessary with him, such as his discharge papers, enlistment, date, etc.

DEAR DOLLY—Our house is painted tan and brown and we are thinking of changing the color in the spring to gray and white, and I want you to tell me if we will have to get new window blinds. We have yellow blinds now, and they won't match a gray and white house very well. If we have to buy new ones they will cost almost as much as the paint, our blinds are good. Can you suggest what we could do with them?

HILLTOP READER. You might get a can of flat white paint and paint the outside of your blinds white. I think you could do this satisfactorily if you would let them dry thoroughly before rolling them up. You might experiment with one on a back window and find out if it could be done.

SOME NEW THINGS FOR THE BABY. 2186. Infant's Set, consisting of a Cap, a Sack, a Night Gown and a Dress.

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Muslim, cambrie, flannel or flannelette will do nicely for the night gown, while lawn or muslin is suitable for the dress with embroidery, tucking and lace or edging for decoration. The sack will look well in silk, cashmere, flannel or flannelette, and the cap is suitable for lawn, or "allover" embroidery. For the dress of flannelette, it will require 1 3/4 yard of 36 inch material with 1 1/4 yard of plain material for yoke and sleeves. Of muslin or lawn 36 inches wide it will require 2 1/4 yards. The gown will require 2 1/2 yards of 21 or 27 inch material. The cap 1 1/2 yard of 18 inch material. The sack requires 7 1/2 yard of 27 inch material.

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SOCIETY. Mr. and Mrs. John A. Brumley of 416 Waller street have as guests Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Perry and son, Tommie, of Georgetown, Ky.

Mrs. E. J. Morgan of Glover street has returned from a few days' visit at Oak Hill, Ohio.

Miss Ethel Knoebel of 908 Fourth street will entertain Mrs. Lucy Schleifer's Sunday school class of the First Evangelical church this evening. The assistant hostesses will be Mrs. Arthur Linnick and Miss Flora Kuhn. Every member of the class is cordially invited to be present.

Members of White Lily Council, Daughters of America, this city, were guests of Millbrook Council, D. of A., last night when the New Boston Council entertained with a banquet in honor of several state officers who were present. The state officers were State Councillor Mrs. Ada Borges of Cleveland; State District Deputy Mrs. Mary Garlinger of Galtville; National Representative Mrs. Mary E. Boyle of Portsmouth and State Warden Eddie Lochbaum of New Boston.

Announcement was made yesterday of the postponement of the Knights of Columbus dance which was to have been given tomorrow evening in Baesman's Dancing Academy. The dance has been postponed indefinitely on account of the death of Pope Benedict the XV.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Greenberg were guests of Waller street, this city, Mrs. Herman Greenberg of Maysville, Ky., and Messrs. Joe and Herman Pastor of Oak Hill, Ohio.

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NATION FACES COMPLEX AND DIFFICULT PROBLEMS BUT INDUSTRIAL CLOUDS ARE GIVING WAY TO SUNSHINE, SAYS CONGRESSMAN FESS

"Problems that are complex and difficult of solution are the kind that this nation faces today," said Congressman Simeon D. Fess of Yellow Springs, O., near Springfield, when he addressed a large audience in the high school auditorium last night on the subject of "Outstanding Problems Now Before Our Nation."

He appeared here under the auspices of the Woman's City Club as part of their educational program relating to history of government. The distinguished speaker spent but a few moments on his introductory remarks, plunging right into his subject. During his address he told of the many difficult problems which confront the nation and what steps are being taken to meet them. He gave many figures and statements in his effort to reflect the true condition of the nation today and what steps are being taken to place this country and foreign countries back on a pre-war basis.

The address proved both interesting and educational, the speaker bringing many first hand facts from Washington that enlightened his hearers on different subjects. In his remarks Congressman Fess gave an inexpressible supply of figures showing how the cost of government had been reduced since the new administration took charge. His mixed eloquence with forcefulness and his masterly talk was one of the best ever heard in the city, as the speaker spoke straight from the shoulder. He is recognized as one of the leaders in Washington and is a man who knows what is going on. Various issues of the day were discussed frankly, most briefly, by the able speaker, who was given a very cordial reception here.

Congressman Fess was introduced by Professor Frank Appel who has known him for many years, in their association in educational work. In his talk Prof. Appel complimented the Woman's City Club, under whose auspices Mr. Fess spoke here, for the educational program which the women are carrying out.

Congressman Fess began by saying: "The problems of our nation today are rather complex and difficult of solution. Do not have too much confidence in the ability of the legislature to settle things after the world's greatest convulsion, the World War. We must understand the foreign, as well as the domestic situation. While we are far from the nations wherein the war had its seat, we are neighbors of theirs and their problems are also our problems in many cases. The remedies for the troubles of this old world must be slow to be effective. The great financial drain of the recent war may be judged by what has been done in the past some of which is seen in the following figures:

"Before the war the cost of operating the government was one billion dollars. In 1918 it was 19 billion, in 1920 seven and one half billion, in 1921 six and one-half billion, and the estimated cost for this year is \$4,034,000,000. We can never get back to a pre-war basis."

"The interest of the public debt, which before the war was thirty million, is now 375 million. The amount for disabled soldiers is 350 million and the sinking fund, 301 million. Thus, items unknown before the war are double the cost of pre-war government."

"We are proceeding to cut in every manner possible. The principal ones are shipping board, railroads, war machines and the army and navy."

"Government expenses have been reduced by millions," he said. "It cannot all be done at once. It takes time, but it is being accomplished."

There are something like fifty thousand fewer employees at Washington than there were a brief time ago. There were several departments of government created at Washington during the war as temporary affairs which by necessity have become permanent. These should not be disregarded in comparison. Then there has been the addition of the revenue and enforcement departments which have added a veritable army of employees not all in Washington but scattered in all parts and sections of the country. But in the face of all these additions, there has been almost a 50 per cent reduction in the cost of clerical or departmental expense which is a remarkable record for an administration not yet a year old."

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Mrs. Harry Weller, 72, Washington Street, was a lame, helpless, crippled woman. When I bent, it was almost impossible to straighten me. Sharp twinges seized me, I had to be waited upon. I became so dizzy, I had to lie down. My kidney trouble bothered me. Doan's Kidney Pills brought at Fisher's Drug Store relieved me."

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High Spots In The Address Made By Congressman Fess

Following are high spots in the address of Congressman S. D. Fess who spoke here last night.

"The high cost of government is the reason for high taxes. Do not have too much confidence in the ability of the legislature to settle things after such a World War."

"Better conditions here in America are assured, every symptom points that way."

"The agricultural situation is better and export trade is increasing."

"The European situation is bad and is not growing much better."

"Prospects for a great revival of industry are good."

"Recent action of the Labor Board was a step in the right direction."

"A soldier's bonus bill will pass, the only delay being occasioned by a search of ways to meet the appropriation."

"Clouds blotting Industrial Horizon are giving way to sun-

Arms Conference

Congressman Fess next devoted some time to the recent Arms Conference saying: "The Arms Conference has proceeded far enough to show a cut of at least 300 millions."

"In part this great gathering of world diplomats has been a success and many in Washington consider it in that light." The speaker declared himself in favor of the Disarmament Conference and said that many reports going out from Washington that they were not doing anything and had not accomplished anything, were wrong. He also added that although much credit is being given to President Harding and Secretary Hughes for the calling of the conference some credit is due ex-President Woodrow Wilson.

According to the speaker, the high cost of government is the reason for the high taxes which are the subject of so much discussion at the present time. "Taxes have already been reduced \$15 million by the recent tax legislation, and they will be further reduced in the near future," he said. Leaving the problems of the United States for a few moments, the speaker explained the European problems that bear on conditions here. He said, "The European situation is bad and is not growing much better at the present time, as the countries over there are still spending way beyond their means and are thus continually increasing their deficits. European nations are hoping for further loans from the United States but it will be impossible to grant them as the nations have not yet paid the interest on the principal of the enormous sum of one billion dollars which they now owe our country. Europe must go to work, it's her only hope."

Work More; Save More

The speaker said the only way for the people of Europe to get back on their feet was to work more and save more. "He said there was no reason why they could not get their industries started and employ their idle men. The resources of Europe are as good today as they were before the war and the people over there should get busy and develop them."

"The proposed General conference that Europe wants us to attend must assure that deficits will be avoided, that great armies will be reduced, that useless employment at government expense will be cut off and express a willingness to pay their debts or we cannot accept the invitation to join in the conference."

Congressman Fess, in referring to the soldiers' bonus said "a bonus bill will pass, and the delay is only occasioned by the search of ways to meet the appropriation," and in his opinion, "these will be found to render into the faithful boys what is due."

"Better conditions here in America are now assured, every symptom points that way. Unemployment in this season of the year is not as great as feared. Money is much easier to get, discounts much lower, securities market much better, and investment securities more brisk."

"The agricultural situation is better. The export trade is increasing. Last year we sold seven hundred millions more to foreign countries than in 1913, the year before the conflict."

"The Congressional Agricultural Inquiry report shows much improvement and the President's Agricultural Conference in session today in Washington is hopeful. Congress is long pushing the program of betterment."

"The House has already sent to the Senate the Permanent Tariff Measure, the Loan Funding Act and the Vail Securities Act. These bills still await final action of the Senate, which will not be unduly delayed."

Prospects Are Good

"Prospects for a great revival of industry are good, as shown by a willingness of labor and capital to agree to reduce the high cost of production. This lowering of cost is demanded most vigorously in transportation where freight rates are too high to secure any degree of agricultural relief."

"The recent decision of the Labor Board was a step in the right direction. With capital free to invest, labor seeking steady employment, and surplus steadily lessening, there is no doubt of a steady revival. It will be slow but just as sure."

"The one black spot in the picture is the condition of Europe. While we are willing to help, it is not our problem. It belongs to the old world. They must get away from present methods, reduce war equipment, settle national rivalries, eliminate jealousies and get down to work, employing their ability to produce."

The speaker said congress should exempt the non-taxable securities as the taxes were so high that capitalists were investing their money in non-taxable bonds and securities instead of in a business that would give employment to the labor of the country. Mr. Fess pointed a broad

Farmer Slashed By Woman; Says Jealousy Was Motive

Charles Farmer of Tinton is recovering from a stab wound in his left side, which he says was inflicted by a woman who says her name is Mabel Mitchell. Jealousy, Farmer says, caused him to be attacked. He says he is known here and has numerous relatives in New Boston. Relative to the affair the Tinton Register said:

"The wounded man was rushed to the hospital and his injuries dressed. The will not prove serious. The Mitchell woman escaped. The attack occurred near the Marlow theatre and was witnessed by quite a few folks. Mr. Farmer had been attending the motion picture house and was accompanied by Miss Ethel Townsend, who was recently operated on for appendicitis at Hempstead was removed Monday to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Douglas, of Tinton building, Second street.

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Reception For Visitors

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Fred B. Winter, president of the Scioto County Republican Club, and Frank W. Moulton presented the men and women of the city to Mr. Fess.

He was entertained at dinner in the hotel dining room with the following invited guests: Frank Appel, John D. Littlejohn and Fred B. Winter.

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WEST END NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Horatio Smith, of Court and Second streets, returned home Sunday from McGraw, where they attended the funeral of their sister-in-law, Mrs. William Smith. They brought home with them, the four month old baby son of Mr. Smith. The five year old daughter is still very ill.

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Funds Being Raised

ATHENS, Jan. 14.—Funds are being raised here to assist Ohio Union veterans who are going into Athen county mining camps to teach children and provide them with many needed refinements of life. The Ohio girls have been doing this for several years.

A Tough Bird
(Fronton Register)

Earl Butler is after a match with Nig Blair. Butler is a tough little bird.

So far we have heard nothing from Portsmouth about Jack Shepherd's offer to fight Nig Blair. Why not make it sharp? A monster local crowd would attend and Jack would put the River City hope to sleep.

Month of Mourning
Catholic churches in Cincinnati Sunday began a month of mourning in commemorating the death of Pope Benedict.

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Robert W. Evans, 25, steel worker, and Bertha Mae Adams, 25, shoe-worker, West Side, Rev. Lawhorn.

Curtis Wellman, 27, barber, Logan, W. Va., and Ardine Fender, 19, bookkeeper, city, Rev. Lawhorn.

Louis Ballard, 30, barber, city, and Louella Witton, 23, housekeeper, city, Rev. Lawhorn.

Sheriff Better
Sheriff Ricker, who has been quite ill with an aggravated attack of tonsillitis is considerably better.

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Arrangements have been made with the druggists of this city to give every reader of this paper a large \$1.00 package of Genuine Yeast Vitamine Tablets, absolutely free with every purchase of a bottle of Nuxated Iron.

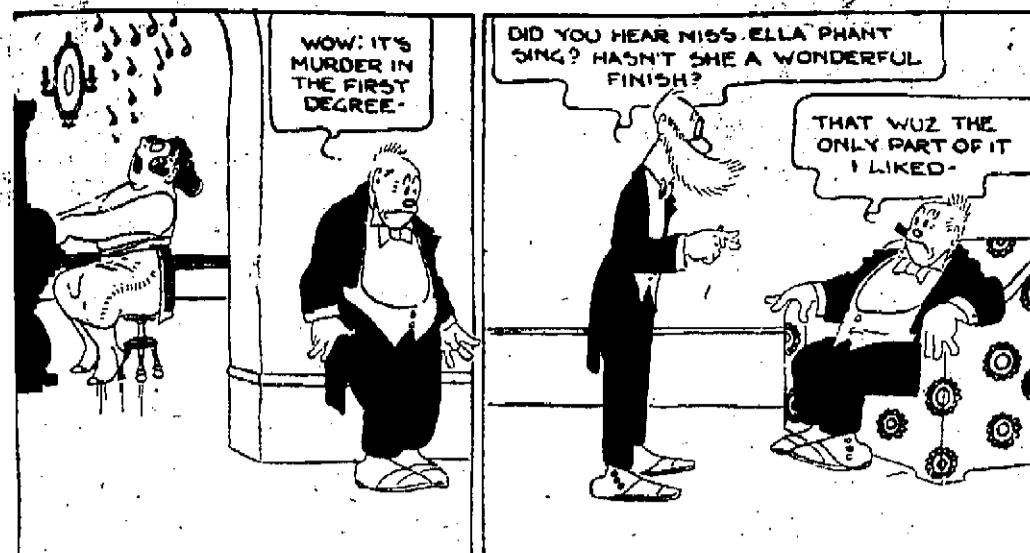
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White in Training.

CHICAGO, Jan. 24—Charlie White, local lightweight, began training here today for his match with Willie Jackson in Madison Square Garden, February 1, following his recent victory over John Dundee at Boston. White expects to win from Jackson and then obtain a bout with Benny Leonard for the championship.

Printers' Head-Pin Tournament all week at the "

BRINGING UP FATHER



GRAND JURY INVESTIGATING AUTO THEFTS

IRONTON, Jan. 24.—The Lawrence county grand jury, which some time ago completed its deliberations, after a brief session, will be recalled into session Wednesday to investigate the automobile theft cases, which have taken such sensational turns. Robert Finley, arrested on a charge of stealing a large number of cars, made a complete confession Saturday night to Deputy Sheriff Matt Wilson. Constable Tom Erskine and Prosecuting Attorney Homer M. Edwards.

Finley involved Messrs. Nolle Justice, Jack Lucas and Roscoe Watts and these three young men, all prominent in the city, were arrested. The young men involved deny their guilt and claim they are victims of a frame-up, questioning the safety of "Rob" Finley. Mr. Lucas reported voluntarily to the authorities, having been notified by phone.

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Special Sale Begins Wednesday

Some of these special suits for boys have been on display in our windows since Saturday and you may be sure that many a parent has laid out to attend this boys' clothing sale which begins tomorrow.

Sale Of Boys' Suits At \$7.98

This sale of boys' apparel that is certainly going to capture the community, is nothing more or less than a large assortment of suits—regular "Jim Huns" for wear and looks—short pants, in ages from 7 to 17 years and in values up to \$20.00 for only \$7.98. Now what do you say? Can you afford to let a sale like this go by?

BOYS' SUITS, in ages 3 to 5 years, and in values to \$10.00, in one special lot, now marked at \$6.98. A price like this is naturally very compelling and we certainly expect both of these lots to vanquish in a hurry.

BOYS' HATS, a companion special to the suits, in values to \$3.00, special, 60¢.

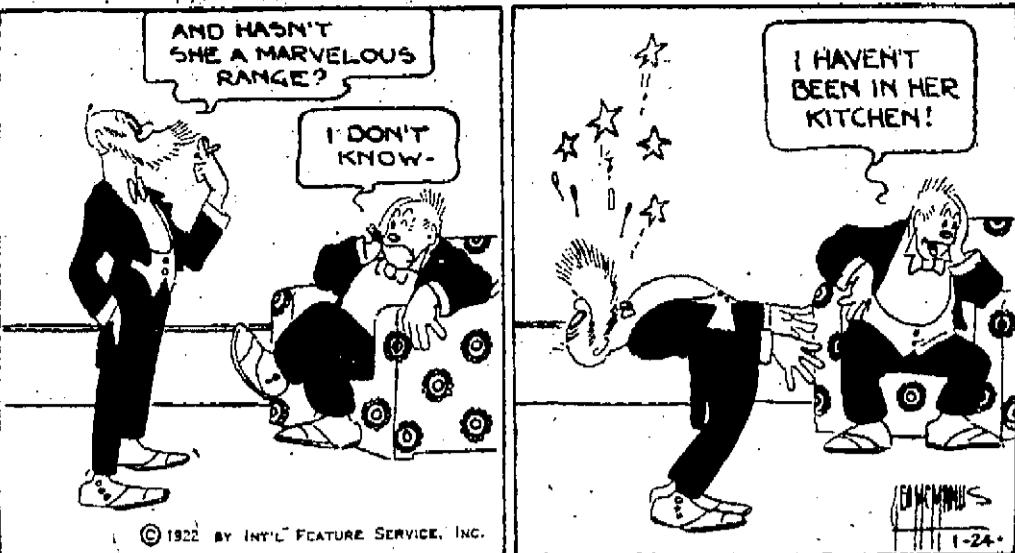
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And Her Dream Came True

Miss Elinor Jones, teacher in the domestic science department at the Wheelersburg high school, is not a believer in dreams, but recently she had an experience that came near making her change her mind.

After the school building was robbed of a sewing machine and other things, and just the day before Principal A. B. Prior asked her to go to the Fred Burbee home, back of Sciotoville to identify stolen school property, she told of a dream she had concerning the stolen property. Miss Jones had a dream that the stolen machine was found in a small room in which there was a pan of about six puppies and a basket of potatoes with sprouts on them. When Prof.

Prior went to the Burbee home, the machine was found in a small room, and in another room of the house was a big pan containing about six puppies. The only thing missing was the sprouting potatoes to make the dream come true.

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COUNTY COMMISSIONER

Through the solicitation of many of his friends, Walter H. Norris, prominent grocer and citizen, has decided to enter the race for the nomination of County Commissioner of Scioto county, subject to the decision of the electors at the coming primaries to be held in August of this year.

While a life-long Republican and always working for the interests of his party, Mr. Norris has never asked any favor at the hands of the G. O. P. He has never been too busy, but he would gladly take time to enter into a conference where the good of his party was to be discussed.

Mr. Norris is a native of Portsmouth, being born and reared in this city, and has always had the reputation of being a progressive citizen, one who has taken a just pride in civic improvement. For many years he was foreman of the bottling department of the Selby Shoe Co. Leaving the factory twenty years ago, he entered into the grocery business, where he has made a signal success. He stands high with all people, is a man of unswerving integrity—a man who knows his own mind and whose judgement is often sought by his friends.

He is especially popular among the shoeworkers of the city, who will rally to his support and assist in the securing of the nomination of Commissioner. He is aggressive and fearless and will make a campaign that will carry him into every part of the county. His acquaintance is county wide, many farmers knowing him and respecting him for his uniform courtesy.

Mr. Norris is an ideal candidate for county commissioner, and those who support him will find him always on the square, anxious to see that for every dollar of the tax-payers money expended, a dollar's worth of labor or material must necessarily match up.

Mr. Norris' friends insist that the city should be represented on the board of county commissioners. This condition has not obtained for several years, but there is no question Portsmouth should have representation on that important branch of local government.

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so closely together that Kansas City is as close to us as our nearest city.

The doctors discuss the differences between the types of smallpox.

They said that the form now prevailing in Ohio is very mild, does not attack all who are exposed, has a two weeks incubation period, and when the eruption appears the patient is practically well.

On the other hand, virulent or European smallpox such as is present in Kansas City attacks every one who is exposed, has an incubation period of eight or nine days, and the patient grows gradually worse, not improving when the eruption appears.

Confluent and hemorrhagic forms are common, and the death rate is from 10 to 30 percent as contrasted with

a mortality of less than one percent characterizing the present form.

Successful vaccination within five years will protect the individual against both forms of the disease.

Prevention

The health commissioners urged

boards of education, outside city of

Portsmouth in which place the regulation has already been adopted, to

adopt regulations requiring the vaccination of school children. The law

gives this power to such boards. They also urged all individuals to avail

themselves of the protection afforded by recent successful vaccination.

Smallpox in Ohio

At the present time mild smallpox is present in Ohio in the following

counties: Champaign, Clark, Columbus, Erie, Greene, Hamilton, Highland, Huron, Lucas, Miami, Montgomery, Muskingum, Ottawa, Sandusky, Scioto, Seneca, Stark and Wayne. A total of 95 cases has been

reported from these counties in January, and reports are still incomplete. Montgomery, Ottawa, Sandusky, Scioto and Stark counties have the worst situations.

Of the cities Massillon is the hardest hit. If the present mild form of

smallpox shows a tendency to spread what would happen if the more virulent form were imported? This very

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Send to Dr. Pierce's Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y., for a ten-cent trial package, or ask your druggist for Dr. Pierce's Anuric (kidney and backache remedy). Many folks in town have been benefitted as was Mr. John.

Cincinnati, Ohio—"I had severe pains thru my back just across the kidneys and I would become so dizzy at times I would have to lie down. I also had inflammation of the bladder and suffered from burning and smarting. I tried many kidney medicines without relief until I began taking Dr. Pierce's Anuric (kidney and backache) Tablets. They gave me the first relief in four years. The backache left me and my kidneys are active and normal."—Wm. Johns, 234 Broad St.—Advertisement.

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THE MARKETS

NEW YORK STOCKS

NEW YORK, Jan. 24—Gulf States Steel continued to feature the stock market in today's early dealings, rising 2½ points. Electric Storage Battery, another recent favorite, made a similar gain and Manufacturing Elevated recovered part of yesterday's re-action. In general, the list was uneven. Mexican Petroleum, losing a large fraction, while various specialties, including Coca-Cola and Central Leather, were in further demand. Pacific rails also improved, but granglers notably Chicago and Northwestern, eased slightly. Preliminary quotations in the leading foreign exchanges were irregular.

Gulf States Steel failed to make further headway, but Electric Storage Battery extended its rise to 6½ points. Food and sugar specialties, notably Corn Products and Cuba Sugar, also was strong, but South Porto Rico Sugar broke sharply. General Asphalt strengthened on declaration of the regular preferred dividend. Shipments were brought forward before noon. Merchant Marine paid, American International and United Fruit gaining 1 to 1½ points. The soft spots included Lackawanna and Republic Steels. American Car, Houston Oil, Montana Power and Endicott-Johnson. Call money opened at 5 per cent.

Specialties of the steel, sugar, electric and paper groups made substantial advances in today's stock market. Mills and season industrials recorded irregular changes. Sales approximated 600,000 shares.

The closing was steady. The general bond list, including government issues was easier.

NEW YORK STOCKS CLOSING PRICES

American Beet Sugar 36½
American Can 36½
American Can and Foundry 145
American Locomotive 106½
American Shielting and Refg. 47½
American Smelting Tobacco 32½
American T. and T. 17½
Anaconda Copper 50
Auburn 90½
Atlantic Gulf 30
Baldwin Locomotive 57½
Baltimore and Ohio 34½
Bethlehem Steel 17½
Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul 18½
Coca Products 100%
Cudahy Steel 60½

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CLOSING GRAIN
CHICAGO, Jan. 24—Wheat: May 1.62@1.64; July 1.61@1.63; Corn: May 75@1.62; July 55@1.61; Oats: May 60@1.62; July 49@1.61; Pork: Jan. 17.20; May 17.00; Lard: Jan. 9.85; May 10.07; Hogs: Jan. 8.56; May 9.30.

CINCINNATI GRAIN
CINCINNATI, Jan. 24—Wheat 1.27@1.28; Corn 55@1.56; Oats 55@1.41; Rye steady 80@82; Potatoes home grown, No. 1, 4.50@5.50 per bushel; No. 2, 2.25@2.50 per bushel; Michigan 3.50@3.75 per sack 150 pounds; Ohio 2.75@3.00 per sack 150 pounds. Hay 14.00@20.00.

CINCINNATI LIVESTOCK
CINCINNATI, Jan. 24—Hogs: Receipts 4.00@4.25; higher; heavies 5.50@6.50; packers and butchers 5.50@6.75; medium 5.75; steers 4.00@4.75; heavy fat sows 6.00@7.25; light shippers 6.75; pigs 11.00@12.00; less 8.50@9.75.

Cattle: Receipts 3.50@4.00; steers good to choice 6.50@7.50; fair to good 5.50@6.50; heifers good to choice 6.50@7.50; fair to good 5.50@6.50; cows, good to choice 4.50@5.50; fair to good 4.50@5.50; calves 2.75@3.25. Calves open steady, choice 5.50@6.50; good to choice 4.50@5.50; fair to good 4.00@5.00; large and large 4.00@5.00.

Sheep: Receipts 4.00@4.50; good to choice 5.00@5.50; fair to good 4.00@4.50; common 1.00@2.00; bucks 2.00@3.50. Lambs strong; good to choice 13.00@15.00; fair to good 10.00@12.00; seconds 8.50@9.50; common and large 5.00@7.00.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK
CHICAGO, Jan. 24—Cattle: Receipts 31.00@32.00; few, early sales desirable; beef steers steady; others heavy, weak to 15c lower; good, heavy steers 5.75; bulk beef steers 7.00@7.75; steer stock and bulls steady; calves 25c to 50c higher; stockers and feeders slow, weak.

Hogs: Receipts 37.00@38.00; slow, mostly 10c to 15c higher than yesterday's average; some early 25c higher; top 9.30; one load 160 to 170 pounds average; practical 20c-25c; bulk 8.50@9.00; pigs 15c to 25c higher; bulk desirable 0.30@0.25.

Sheep: Receipts 15.00@16.00; light yearlings 25c higher; other classes steady to strong; fat lambs to shippers early 18.50@19.50; packers 18.75; choice, light yearlings 22.50; choice 22.50; pounds average 7.50.

Produce Markets CLEVELAND PRODUCE

CLEVELAND, Jan. 24—Butter: Extra in tubs 40½@41½; prints 41½@42½; extra firms 39½@40½; firsts 38½@39½; seconds 33½@34½.

Eggs: Fresh gathered northern extras 4½@4½; firsts 3½@3½; Ohio firsts new cases 40½; old cases 40; western firsts new cases 39.

Live poultry: Heavy fowls 24@26; spring ducks 28@30.

Potatoes: 3.00@3.50 per 150 pound sack.

CHICAGO PROVISIONS

CHICAGO, Jan. 24—Butter higher; creamery extras 34½@35½; second 26@27; standards 31½.

Eggs: Higher; receipts 8.220 cases; firsts 8.50@8.75; ordinary, firsts 3.30@3.50; miscellaneous 3.70@3.85; refrigerator firsts 22@25.

Live poultry: Unsettled: fowls 25½; spring ducks 22½; roosters 15.

GASOLINE AND ALCOHOL

CINCINNATI, Jan. 24—Alcohol, denatured 43; gasoline tank wagon, 23; seventy per cent 33.

COTTON

NEW YORK, Jan. 24—Cotton fu-

AT THE Columbia

Commencing TOMORROW

Chicago Grain And Provisions

CHICAGO GRAIN

CHICAGO, Jan. 24—Wheat went upward in price today during the early dealings affected, chiefly by higher quotations at Liverpool and Buenos Aires. Offers here to sell lacked volume. Smallness of farm reserves of wheat and the rapid decrease of stocks at terminals attracted considerable notice. Opening prices, which varied from the same as yesterday's finish to 3½ higher, with May 1.16 to 1.16½ and July 1.02 to 1.02½, were followed by a general gain.

The close was easy, at the same as yesterday's finish to 3½ lower, with May 1.15½ to 1.15½ and July 1.01½ to 1.01½.

Hedging sales of corn were less numerous than has been the rule of late. The corn market therefore tended to advance, opening 3½ to 4½ @3½ higher, and then scoring additional upturns. Oats climbed in value with other grain, starting unchanged to 3½ up, May 2.75 to 2.90½, and continued to ascend.

A new rise in the price of hogs was promptly reflected by the provision market.

The close was steady, at 1.45@1.46 to 1.46½ net advance, with May 5.50 to 5.60@5.70.

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NEWS FROM NEARBY TOWNS

LILLY

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Turner had as Sunday guests Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Pickett and children and Orna Tripp.

Miss Rachael Jones was the Sunday dinner guest of Gofolie White.

Jennie Morgan and Albert Hughes were the Sunday guests of Alonso White.

Rev. Will Shepard will conduct services at Union church Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Grashel and daughter were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Grashel.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Carrell had as dinner guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Will Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Morgan were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Morgan Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse James and son Orren were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Adams.

PINKERMAN

The Sunday school of this place is progressing nicely under the able management of W. N. Saiter. Guests visited Win. Saiter's bee farm recently and carried away twenty-eight pounds of honey.

Twelve members of the U. B. church will gather at the residence of John Hanes the coming Wednesday night for prayer meeting.

John Hanes met with a very unfortunate accident the other night when he fell in a ditch and fractured his knee.

George Verner who has been visiting relatives in Portsmouth returned home.

Louise Hanes, Christian Endorser Sunday night.

HAMDEN

Mayor Roy Giles of Wellston, fined Jack Weber of Wellston \$1,000 for selling whiskey. Charles Meese of Hamden, claimed he purchased a pint from him.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Murdoch and family are visiting with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Martin, at Portsmouth.

Jack Seymour, of Primrose Hollow, is ill with grip.

Agent Will Craig for the Essex auto, will leave the first part of the week for Detroit, Mich., to drive a new Essex coach through.

George Potts, former editor of the Hamden Enterprise, was calling on friends here Friday while enroute from Cincinnati to Glenroy, where he expects to have a chicken farm.

Mrs. George Mitchell and children Thelma and James, have gone to Melpre to visit with her parents.

Joe Juring, of Cincinnati, was a business caller here Friday.

SOUTH WEBSTER

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Mrs. Theo. Cook, was the recent dinner guest of Misses Naomi and Lee Shope.

Misses Margaret and Linnie Leive were Portsmouth shoppers last week.

Miss Margaret Scovil, has returned home after a pleasant visit with Portsmouth relatives.

Mrs. Paul Daley of Cleveland, Ohio, was the recent guest of Misses Margaret and Lillian McCall.

W. S. Johnson was a Portsmouth visitor last week.

Fred Simmerling was a Portsmouth visitor at Black Park, O., last week.

Misses Ida Guiller and Ethel Queen of Bloom, O., were shopping in So. Webster last week.

C. C. Potts, operator at Bloom, O., is on duty again after having had a small pox.

Little Marie Arthurs has recovered from the small pox.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Cook, were recent Portsmouth shoppers.

Miss Edna Miller of Chillicothe, O., spent a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Miller and family, recently.

JACKSON

Mr. and Mrs. Knox Hansen of Portsmouth were the recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Hansen.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Brown have returned from a week's visit to Cincinnati.

Mrs. E. C. Powell, who has been making her home in Columbus has returned to Jackson and will live with her son Judge Reed Powell. Her daughter, Mrs. Sybil Lee Roy and Little Son Bernie have joined Mr. Lee Roy in Kirksville, Mo., where they will locate.

Mrs. Harry Brown was the hostess at an auction party at her home in Wellston on Saturday afternoon in honor of her niece, Mrs. Leitch Watson of Hammond, Ind. Mrs. Watson and little daughter, Martha Jane are visiting with her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. James McGehee of Wellston. Seven Jackson ladies were invited to meet Mrs. Watson on Saturday who were Messmates L. A. Shope, J. C. Moore, S. E. Stephenson, Reed Powell, Charles H. Jones, and the Misses Florence Wilson and Dorothy Eldridge.

Mr. and Mrs. David Armstrong and Judge and Mrs. Frank Delay entertained a number of friends Thursday evening at the Delay home on High street.

Mrs. Carey Arthur of Chestnut

TOOTH ACHÉ

Rub "Tooth-Soothe" on Gum or Put in Cavity.

An aching tooth or neuralgic gum is promptly relieved by rubbing "Tooth-Soothe" on inflamed gum, or inserting in cavity, on cotton. Dentists recommend "Tooth-Soothe" because it soothes and relieves toothache distress of child or adult without cocaine or narcotics. Small packets containing directions cost few cents at any drug store—advertisment.



Friends of Gallia avenue are guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Kruger of Glenwood avenue.

Henry Caulilli, of Gallia avenue, who is ill with asthma is better.

Velvet, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Keller, of Harrisonville Avenue is suffering with burned foot.

Grant Grimes of Gallia avenue, who was ill is improving.

Mrs. Nancy Irwin of Gallia avenue, who has been ill for sometime is improving.

Theima Irene, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Bowling of Rhodes avenue, is ill.

Mrs. Carl Kiser and little daughter Emma Jane of Gallia Avenue, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kiser of Cedar street.

Mrs. H. C. McCormick of Fine street, who is ill is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Park Trotroff (Edna Cameron) are the proud parents of a son born recently.

Herbert Chinn, of Gallia avenue, spent the week end with bone foks in Vancouer.

Wilbur, son of Mrs. Grace Huffstutter of Grace street, who has been ill has resumed his studies at the Stanton Avenue School.

Daniel McGlone is ill at his home on Glenwood avenue.

Ironon Zeek of Peebles addition, who has been ill is improving.

Over one hundred school pupils will take part in the production of "Fl-FI" of the Toy Shop, which will be presented at the Glenwood High School, Thursday and Friday evening, January 29th and 27th at 8 o'clock.

Besides the principals who have singing parts and principals will take part to train for there are many groups used in the dances and spectacular features of the play. All are becoming proficient in dialogues and songs. "Fl-FI" has become a familiar word in New Boston, during the past week. The members of the cast are all enthusiastic and are working hard so that the production will merit all the interest taken in it by the city in general. The dances in "Fl-FI" are unique. People in a position to know say they are the best ever seen here. The china dolls will compose one group that is sure to make a hit. They go through a most graceful dance and the serious-faced clowns who work with them should amuse the audience for many minutes. Another interesting group of young girls do a very dainty dance called the "Dance of the Paper Dolls." These girls are pretty and graceful and when dressed in appropriate costumes will be worth seeing. "The Dance of the Whoos" is a pretty serpentine dance and with the other groups will make a play that will be liked by all.

Miss Bertha Sternberger was the hostess to the Women's Literary Club on Monday afternoon. It was Bible Day with the quotation for the day "whatever ye would that men should do to you do ye even so to them" from Matt. vii. 12. The meeting opened with sacred music on the Victoria. Mrs. W. E. Davis had their first paper, "The Beautiful Story of Ruth," followed by a concert recitation of the 23rd session by the members led by Mrs. Mary Sternberger. Mrs. Hiram Stephenson gave a paper on Amos "The Man and The Prophet." The program closed with each member present answering roll call with a quotation from the Bible. During the business session Rev. Mitchell and Atty. J. E. Foster came before the Club presenting the plan for solicitation for funds on Tuesday in the drive for \$3000 for the Relief Association. After discussion the club decided to offer its services as solicitors for the fund and fourteen of the ladies signified their willingness to do the work. Mrs. Bedel gave a report of the soup kitchen at the Methodist church. On Monday night forty-nine children were given their dinner. Mrs. L. T. Feating and Mrs. W. C. Chinn gave two dents. "I Love Him, Because He First Loved Me" and "Speed Away" during the program.

Miss Carolyn Reece has returned to the King's Daughters Hospital in Ashland, to finish her training after being home a year on account of the illness of her mother.

Edward R. Womack of Greenup has purchased the Kilgore grocery here and Mr. Kilgore will take over Mr. Womack's store at Greenup.

Mrs. B. C. Womack, father, mother and sister of Selo, Ohio, will leave today for Jacksonville, Fla., to visit relatives.

Miss Coleen Hayes will spend Monday in Cincinnati.

Miss Mildred Justice, of Jackson, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. R. Smith.

A brilliant silver tea was given Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. A. W. Ainsko.

Mrs. Josephine Ainsko, has resumed her position in the York department store after being off duty for several weeks.

Mrs. Lebbe Columbus is spending a few days in Columbus this week.

Little James Chester had the misfortune of falling and sustaining a broken arm, Friday.

NEW BOSTON

The Class of Promise will meet this evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Rose of Glenwood avenue.

The Woodman Circle will meet this evening in regular session at Davis Hall on Gallia avenue.

The W. O. W. will meet Thursday evening.

The Ladies Aid Society of the M. E. church will meet all day Thursday in the church.

Large crowds are attending the revival meetings at the Cedar Street Christian church. Everybody invited. The baby of Mr. and Mrs. John Holand of Cedarwood avenue, is ill.

Mrs. Robert Allisong of Pine street, shopped in Portsmouth yesterday.

For forty years pain's enemy. Ask your neighbor.

At all druggists—35c, 70c, \$1.50.

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CRACK WINCHESTER FIVE AND SELECTS WILL CLASH TONIGHT IN THE HIGH SCHOOL GYMNASIUM

Game To Start
At Eight Bells

At eight o'clock tonight the Selects will clash with the Winchester Selects from down in old Adams country. This five is playing here in the place of the Circleville Athletic Club quintet, several players of the Pickaway county five being ill this week.

The Winchester quintet will be worthy opponents of the Selects, the only team that has triumphed over the Winchester five in two seasons. Baesman and his Selects will endeavor to put another crimp in that string of victories tonight and at the same time add another scalp to their victory belt.

The game will start promptly at eight o'clock, the doors to open at seven o'clock. The prices tonight are 50 cents for adults and 25 cents for children under 12 years of age.

The Selects will use their regular lineup tonight with Captain Baesman back in the game at center. Edwards and Doll will fill in the forward positions while Barber, Kendall, Kent, and Fortner will be on hand to play guard.

Clash Tonight

Tonight, in the Wheelersburg high school gym, the Lombard school girls of Ironton will clash with the high school girls' five of Wheelersburg. A close game is anticipated as the teams are evenly matched.

Selects vs. Selects

Selects will meet Selects tomorrow night in the Wheelersburg high school gym, when the Ironton Selects clash with the Wheelersburg Selects. The boys on each team firmly believe they will be able to annex a victory. The Wheelersburg lads, having the odds as the game is played on their home floor.

Chief Scout Coming

James E. West, head of the Boy Scouts of America, will address the Boy Scouts of the city Friday evening at eight o'clock in Wilhelmine Hall. Upon his arrival in the city Mr. West will be met at the station by the Boy Scouts and escorted to the hall.

Ruth Is Batting

1000 In Cincy

Babe Ruth is hitting 1,000 in the Theatrical League in Cincinnati this week. He is at the Kiel's theatre and his act is a good one. Ruth is a wise old owl. He knows he can't act, but he has two men with him and they are real singers and dancers. They put Ruth over.

HERE IS BIG
TEN STANDING

CHICAGO, Jan. 24.—Minnesota maintained its lead in the big ten conference basketball race by its victory over Indiana last night while Purdue took the runner-up position and kept its lost column clear.

The standing of the teams follows:

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
Minnesota	4	0	1000
Purdue	3	0	1000
Illinois	2	0	1000
Wisconsin	3	1	750
Chicago	2	1	667
Ohio	2	2	500
Indiana	1	2	333
Michigan	1	3	250
Northwestern	0	6	000
Iowa	0	3	000

Indiana tried hard to wrest victory from the Gophers, but the final score stood 19 to 16 with the Hoosiers on the losing end.

Purdue defeated Northwestern for the second time this season getting the long end of a 32 to 19 score.

Mayor To Name
River Delegates

Mayor W. N. Gableman Monday received an invitation to attend the seventeenth annual convention of the National Rivers and Harbors congress to be held at the New Willard Hotel, Washington, D. C., on March 1 and 2.

The invitation was accompanied by a request to the mayor to appoint two delegates to the congress to represent Portsmouth.

Where They Fight

Here is where they fight tonight: At Philadelphia, Penn.—Jimmy Durante vs. Tommy Longhorn.

At New York—Billy De Yo vs. Earl Baird.

At New York—Dick Griffin vs. Jack Gould.

At Hamilton, Ohio—Anthony Downey vs. Jimmy Lewis.

At New Lexington, Ohio—Dutch Powell vs. Young Stansbury.

Voorhis Assistant

OXFORD, O., Jan. 24—Tom Van Voorhis has started upon his new work as assistant physical director of Miami University, coming here from Mexico City, where he was physical director with the Y. M. C. A.

Van Voorhis, who was captain-elect of Miami College football team in 1919, served on the Miami coaching staff in the fall of 1920, while he was completing his course there.

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CLASS A LEAGUE

Games at Crystal Palace

Thursday night: Slicers vs. Ringers on alleys 2 and 3; Scratches vs. Stabbers on alleys 4 and 5.

Leather Grippers

Gilders ... 117 132 147 396

J. Hauck ... 106 105 211

Swab ... 131 119 ... 250

Huber ... 168 130 151 449

Brine ... 137 147 133 437

Cooper ... 130 149 379

Totals ... 679 658 685 2022

Heel Builders

Doll ... 136 133 146 482

Doughty ... 99 154 134 387

Dobkins ... 135 143 158 434

Rendencell ... 149 138 150 427

Moore ... 146 123 157 426

Totals ... 685 688 742 2116

Rounders

Good ... 201 163 152 516

Lohart ... 132 148 162 442

Pittenger ... 160 141 134 435

F. Hobstetter ... 148 136 140 424

Conley ... 145 128 118 415

Totals ... 786 770 706 2292

Wreckers

Revere ... 147 130 128 405

Knapp ... 108 150 119 427

C. Hauck ... 124 122 133 379

Drum ... 130 127 105 362

Ruggles ... 108 169 135 412

Totals ... 677 698 620 1995

Avalons

Held ... 93 107 67 267

Bede ... 86 82 81 249

Graham ... 102 88 100 400

Drum ... 97 64 66 227

Blind ... 70 70 70 210

Totals ... 451 530 468 1439

Catbirds

Oldfield ... 91 85 78 254

Petersen ... 119 148 103 370

Grimm ... 95 125 110 330

Bergman ... 76 102 97 275

Blind ... 70 70 70 210

Totals ... 451 530 468 1439

Silk Shirt

Anderson Bros. Co.

Smoking Set. A. Zellner.

Box Cigars, Smoke House.

Gloves, Marting Bros. Co.

Groceries and Lard. J. J. Brushar.

and Went.

Friday

Brushes, Otto Zellner.

Silk Shirt, Ohio Valley Clothing & Shoe Co.

Hat, Phil Wolff.

Box Candy, Mary Louise Candy Shoppe.

Victor Record, Kay-Graham Co.

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Box Cigars, Henry Roth.

Box Cigars, C. E. "Tod" Cropper.

Smoking Stand, Levi's.

Capital Prizes

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Sold Leather Rocker, Lewis Furniture Co.

Electric Floor Lamp, Horschow Co.

Camera, Virgil Fowler.

JACKSON WINS

PHILADELPHIA—Willie Jackson,

New York, knocked out Ned Fitzgerald, of Australia, in the fifth round

of the scheduled eight round bout.

Shade unquestionably has a great chance to win the title. He is only 30 years old, Jackson is 36. If youth means anything in this bout, the advantage is certainly all with Shade.

In the fourth round of that encounter, Shade came within one second of being crowned the welterweight champion. Britton was down for the count of nine.

Will Shade Dethrone Britton?

Jack Britton destined to be dethroned?

The welterweight champion is soon scheduled to risk his title with Dave Shade of California. The bout will be 15 rounds to a decision.

Many fight fans in the ears are not taking the bout seriously. They figure Britton will have no great trouble disposing of the contender.

The coming bout will be the second meeting between the two. On June 3 at Portland, Ore., Shade earned a draw in a 10-round bout with Britton.

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Fistic experts regard Britton as the marvel of the ring. His winning

is feeling pulse of Stanford

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, Calif., Jan. 24—Glenn Warner, veteran Pittsburgh football coach, who is acting as a doctor called to diagnose the Stanford's gridiron ailments, is spending this week examining the patient.

One of the first things Warner asked for on arriving here last week was a picture of the 1921 Cardinal football squad and on receiving it he remarked about the number of "husky" men in the photograph.

Warner said his first impression was that football material in the west is as good if not better than

the east. In the east, however, he added, more athletes are developed in the preparatory schools.

Warner's contract with Pittsburgh does not expire until 1924 and it is possible that Stanford will try to induce him to come here at that time.

Minnesota Wins

At Bloomington, Ind., last night Minnesota kept up its winning streak by beating Indiana, 19 to 16. It was one of the best basketball games ever played in the Indiana city.

The Printers' headpin tournament opened with plenty of action yesterday afternoon at "The Club." The bowlers kept things humbling from the time the first ball was rolled until the alleys closed last night. Two hundred games were rolled on the first day of the tournament and it is expected that there will be more men out to try for the many prizes that have been hung up today, and later in the week.

There were some fine scores rolled yesterday. Joe Bruno almost made a perfect game, and his score of 97 makes him feel pretty sure of carrying home one of the three big prizes at the end of the week.

Five men managed to get tied for second place each with a mark of 95, and they will arrange a way of rolling off the tie. These five are, Dr. Knechtly, Ed Huels, Elmer Nardi, Sam Esmangle and Stanley Fultz.

The tournament is open to every bowler in the city, and all are invited to try for one of the many prizes. The cost of the game is two-bits, and it entitles the bowler to ten balls, counting all the pins made when the head pin is hit. 100 is perfect in the head pin game.

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New York-Day-By-Day
BY O. O. MCINTYRE

NEW YORK, January 24.—Runners in New York are not composed entirely of those drawn from the underworld. New York has its fashionable bootlegging set—men who left tapetried elegance and manners to pit their wits against highly trained government agents.

"There is an amazing nonchalance about their new vocations. They speak of it brazenly and with no sense of shame. The other day a man who has been a guest in my home called me on the telephone. He did not spare for words nor attempt to excuse himself.

"I have become a bootlegger," he said. "I am sending you a price list. Should you know of any one wanting first class goods, let me know." And the next day in the mail came a printed list of his wares with the price quotations. The name and address, of course, being de-

"One of the most successful insurance agents in Manhattan recently closed his office. The gossip of Broadway has it that he has become a professional bootlegger, catering to the extremely rich."

"The leader of one of the most famous orchestras in town is known as the 'fiddling bootlegger.' He drives about in a car especially made for him. It is a salmon pink with stripes of vermillion. He has bought a home once occupied by one of our grubby cigarette millionaires on Riverside Drive."

"Another bootlegger who calls the young bloods of the Four Hundred by their first names is an Australian. Five years ago, he had a chain of boot-black parlors on the East Side. He was the padrone."

"Now he lives in the bachelor apartments over one of the smartest restaurants on Fifth Avenue. He has three Jap servants and he has morning, afternoon and evening clothes. The odd psychology of it is that his clients seem to feel flattered when he waves to them in public at the night haunts. He has become a commanding personality—a gentleman of extreme distinction."

"Shuffle Along" is nearing its second year at an obscure theatre in the Sixties. It is a musical melange with an entire colored cast. The music was written by Sissle and Lyle, two negroes who were "on call" for private parties where they sang shivering shimmy songs. They have made a snug fortune. Sissle is a big burly fellow with a penetrating tenor voice. Lyle is a mulatto, bald-headed and wears stoutous horn-rimmed glasses. He plays the piano entirely by ear. "Shuffle Along" gives two midnight performances weekly and it has become a rendezvous for smart after the theatre crowds. When the local run ends the entire company is to be taken to London where a theatre has been engaged for them.

For years she has played in the bedroom dramas, but she wanted to do "better things." The other day she went into a producer's office and told him of her ambitions. "You know," she said, "I am anxious to appear in Shakespeare's plays. For the last 10 years I've read everything he's written as soon as it was published." The producer was thoughtful—O very. "I know how you feel," he said. "Your plays have not been brought up to date. The next bedroom farce you play in I'm going to see to it that you have a mattress with bobbed hair." And

O-O-OH, My!
After having been repeatedly warned never to speak a profane word, the five-year-old son came to his mother to report the wickedness of one of his playmates.

"Oh, mother," he ejaculated.

"Tommy said an awful word. He said he said the name of the man who runs Hell."

A Warm Tribute
The business man-mayor of a small city had been elected, against his own desires, for his fourth term. Though he had wanted the chance to give all his attention to business, he greeted the announcement committee with as much cordiality as he could muster.

"I'm sorry, Mr. Mayor," said the chairman, "but they've put you to the trouble of officiating for another term. A far worse man would have been good enough for us, but that's just the trouble. We couldn't find him—and it's my opinion he ain't to be found."

The Catholic Church

has been the pioneer of Church unity. She looks with dismay and regret at the multiplicity of Christian denominations, and invites them all into that unity for which Christ came into this world, suffered and died. 1 Cor. 1, 10: "Now I beseech you, brethren, through the name of Our Lord Jesus Christ that ye all speak the same thing, and that there be no divisions among you, but that ye be perfected together in the same mind and in the same judgment." GOD SPEED THE DAY!

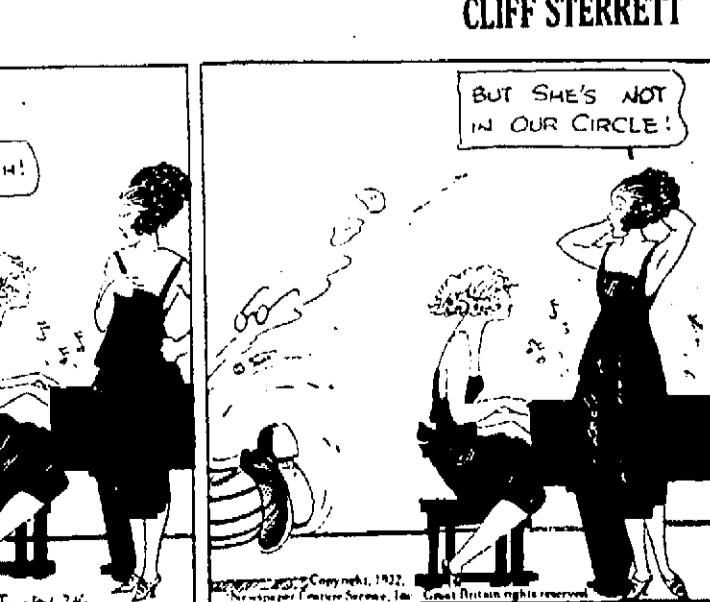
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POLLY AND HER PALS



Can A Circle Be Squared?



CLIFF STERRETT

THE OLD HOME TOWN



BUSINESS WAS TIED UP TWENTY MINUTES TODAY WHILE THE CLERKS ON MAIN STREET HAD A SNOW BALL FIGHT.

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Try It On An Easy Mark
Mr. Kaiser got it in Chicago and sprung it on the editor.
"What does baseball do when it stops rolling?"
"Give it up."
"It looks round."

Plum (b) Correct
"The proof of the pudding is in the eating," said the man who believes in the old maxims.

"Yes," agreed the one who makes up new ones as he goes along, "and the bigger the proof, the better the eating."

All Fixed
"Have you made up your mind to stay in this evening?" he asked a bit wistfully.

"Just then he got a good look at his wife's face and added: "But no, I see you have made up your face to go out."

Harking Away Back

"How long have you lived here?" "Well, sir," replied a citizen of Wayoverbehind, "I don't know what I was to go to the Lafayette and pay 50 cents for a pousse cafe. He stopped. In front of the public library and looked across the street.

"Well," he soliloquized, "as long as they keep building five and ten cent stores, there will always be some one to paint the town red."

EVERETT TRUE

CHAMBLIN'S FATE RESTS WITH COURT OF APPEALS

Arguments for and against the court proceedings prosecuted in behalf of Key Chamblin, condemned to die in the electric chair on February 24 for the murder of Louise Doyle and John Newman last October, were heard by Court of Appeals in session here Tuesday morning.

In his argument in support of the petition in error seeking to set aside the judgment and finding of the trial court, Attorney Theo. K. Funk made a passionate appeal to the court in an effort to save his client from paying the extreme penalty imposed. He pointed out and recited incidents in connection with the tragedy and the trial which he claimed were mitigating circumstances under which mercy should have been extended. The attorney declared that the fatal shots were fired upon the impulse and an act of nature for one suddenly attacked as Chamblin was by the throwing of a brick of other missile at him when he entered the house, asserting that the defendant had no time to reflect or deliberate and that he was not actuated by malice to commit the crime.

The principal error complained of

by the defense was that the court over objection, compelled the accused to take the witness stand in his own behalf and that the finding of the court was excessive. Attorney Funk reviewed Chamblin's life from the time he was turned out as a boy by his stepfather to shift for him

self and the lawyer was moved to tears as he made reference to the mother's love exhibited by the Chamblin's mother on the day her son was sentenced.

Prosecutor Sheppard, for the state

briefly reviewed the case pointing to

Chamblin's confession in which he

admitted having killed the Doyle girl in order to seal her lips and of the tools used in the instance of his own counsel, being the first witness called in the hearing.

The court in taking the case under advisement announced that an opinion would be rendered in a few days.

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advisement announced that an opinion would be rendered in a few days.

Resume Freight Shipments on C. and O. N.

OH HUM; PARENTS TO "WATCH" STUDENTS

ATHEN, Jan. 24.—Hereafter the social activities of the 300 youngsters in Athens High School will be partly regulated by their parents. A parent-teacher organi-

zation for the parents of the older children of the city has been formed, and co-operative control of dances, etc., with the teachers has been promised.

Company Holds Meeting

The Ice Cream and Bottling company has re-elected the following officers: President, J. M. Stockham; Vice President, G. H. Tener, Secre-

tary and General Manager, J. E. Treasurer, Russell Stockham. These officers and Simon Labold and Mrs. Rose McKelehan complete the directorate.

INJURED WHILE PLAYING INDOOR GOLF

ATHENS, O., Jan. 24.—Dr. E. W. Chubb, dean of the College of Liberal Arts, Ohio University, and W. B. Golden, cashier of the Bank of Athens, were badly injured by re-

bounding golf balls during indoor practice. Dean Chubb's glasses were broken and particles filled his right eye.

MAKING EFFORT TO LEARN DRIVER'S IDENTITY

The police are making an effort to secure the name of the driver of the machine, which crashed into one of the plate glass windows in Horr Bros. feed store on Gallia street Saturday night. Two men were in the Duck runabout and it is said the

machine was traveling at a high rate of speed when the driver turned east off Gay street and his car got away from him and crashed into the window. The car was quickly backed off the sidewalk and the driver drove away.

Camp Sherman Will Soon Be Memory

CAMP SHERMAN, Jan. 24.—Camp Sherman as a real military post will soon cease to exist. Tonight the 10th Infantry, or rather what remains of the 10th will entrain for Camp Knox, Ky., there to take up with the 40th which precedes it there. The removal of the 10th will leave the regular army force remain at 125 enlisted men and officers, this

number is composed of the Quartermaster's corps, the infantry company remaining here for guard duty and a small medical detachment.

Major Moseley will be succeeded as commander of the cantonment by Captain Adrian Brine, who remains for duty with the Veterans' School.

Family Is In Need Of Bed

Miss Emma Hubert, of the Bureau of Community Service has a family badly in need of a bed. She requests that any one

having a bed that is not needed call her on Phone number 1715 in the daytime or 557-X of evenings.

ADMITS IT HAD SOME "KICK".

J. L. Shaw was the name given by a man picked up at Eleventh and Waller streets, by the police Monday evening and locked up for intoxication. In Municipal court Tuesday, he said he bought some "white mud" from a colored man, whom he met

near the depot and on taking a few nips of the liquor found it had considerable of a "kick" in it. Judge McCall taxed him the usual \$5 and sent him to jail. Shaw departed for his home at Arion.

IF YOU ARE WELL BREED

You will always have clean towels hanging in the washroom when guests are at your home.

You will at all times make your conversation agreeable when visiting.

You will talk, out in company, of only those people whom you can say a good word for.

That baby son born recently to Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Davidson of Findlay street is at his bedside.

Mr. and Mrs. George Joly and son Bernard are ill at their home on Front street.

McKinley Baker continues very ill at his home on Sixth street.

A. G. Titus is critically ill at his home in Washington, D. C. His brother, P. E. Titus, of 816 Seventh street is at his bedside.

Mr. Rufus Hoppes is very ill at his home, 1827 Summit street.

Cecil Lindwood of Union street will soon enter the Rockhill Sanatorium in Cincinnati for medical treatment.

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Mr. and Mrs. John Flood, 1624 Sixth street, gay with a gathering of dainty little maids and young gallants, who were invited in to celebrate the sixth birthday anniversary of their attractive young daughter, Margaret Flood. All sorts of childish sports and games were enjoyed, and prior to their leave-taking they were invited into the dining-room, which proved highly pleasing to their fancy. On the table was a large white birthday cake decorated with six gleaming candles, while pretty Valentine favors delighted their youthful hearts. Ices, cakes and fruits were served by Mrs. Flood, assisted by her daughter, Miss Catherine Flood to Charles, Jimmie and Elizabeth Anderson, Louise and Bobbie Shimway, Phyllis Jane and John Holt, Homer Hopkins and Dorothy Mae Flood. The little hostess was the recipient of many beautiful presents.

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